

**Amendments to the Specification**

Please replace the paragraph at page 8, lines 4-24 with the following amended paragraph:

The present paper diaper 100 is formed by adhering and fixing an absorbent main body 10 integrated by adhering a rectangular liquid permeable top sheet 11, an absorbing element AB formed by covering a sand glass-shaped absorbent 13 with a crepe paper 14, a rectangular water vapor permeable waterproof sheet 15, and a liquid impermeable back sheet 12 by a hot melt adhesive agent or the like in this order (reference sign \* in the drawing denotes an adhered portion) to a front face side of a flexible outline sheet 1. In this case, a liquid permeable second sheet 11S is interposed between the liquid permeable top sheet 11 and the absorbing element AB. In this case, for the purpose of increasing a fitting property around a hipline and preventing a body fluid from leaking out from a longitudinal direction, a waist elastic stretchable member 20 and a hipline elastic stretchable member 21 are provided, and in order to prevent body fluid from leaking out from a leg line opening portion LO, there is formed a rising cuff B (this rising cuff B is constituted by a rising portion B1 and a flat surface contact portion B2 depicted in Figure 2) for around a leg protruding to a front face side by a rising sheet 40 continuously provided in a width direction and elastic stretchable members 50 and 60.